

Community Streets Initiative Task Force Meeting 4

Discussion Guide:

Panel on Temporary & emergency Response: emergency housing, day centers, feeding programs

Presenters: Nancy Cole, Compass Center; Cassie Franklin, Cocoon House; John Hull, Everett Gospel Mission; Alan Dorway, First Presbyterian Church; Matthew Savage, Journey Church)

(1 hour 10 min.)

- What is available now?
- What are the challenges and gaps?
- Ideas for improvement?
- How can these programs be an entry to longer-term solutions for individuals? What key partnerships are needed?
- What are the best ways to connect residents in shelters, or those in crisis, get connected with permanent housing solutions? Should that be a goal?
- What types of mitigation strategies have been deployed to reduce impacts on neighboring residents/businesses?